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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed May 2, 2007, rejecting the following claims: 1-8 and 18-28.

1. Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review

A "Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review" is filed concurrently herewith or is not being filed.

2. Status of Applicants

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity or a small entity.

3. Fee for Filing Notice of Appeal

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is for:

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Appellants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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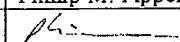
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